

Listing of the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for diagnosing ~~disorders associated with altered protein-glycosylation~~ Alzheimer's Disease in a patient comprising the steps of:
 - (a) providing a sample of an appropriate body fluid from the patient;
 - (b) isolating the proteins from the sample;
 - (c) mixing the proteins with labeled wheat germ agglutinin;
 - (d) detecting the level of binding of the proteins with the labeled wheat germ agglutinin; and
 - (e) comparing the result of step (d) with the level of a known standard,wherein a reduction in the level of binding of the proteins to the labeled wheat germ agglutinin is indicative of Alzheimer's Disease in the patient.
- 2.(Original) The method according to claim 1, wherein the body fluid is cerebrospinal fluid, blood or blood plasma.
- 3.(Original) The method according to claim 1, wherein the wheat germ agglutinin is labeled with biotin.
- 4-8 (Canceled).